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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence
FROM: Director, Office of Legislative Liaison
SUBJECT: Weekly Report

Items of Interest1. FY 85 Intelligence Authorization Bill

H.R. 5399 passed the House on 2 August 1984 by a vote of 294 to 118. It includes the Boland Amendment prohibiting use of any funds in FY 1985 to support military or paramilitary operations in Nicaragua. There was sharp debate on this issue before passage.

2. FOIA Bill

H.R. 5164, our bill was voted out of the House Government Operations Committee on 31 August 1984 with only one dissenting vote by Representative Ted. Weiss (D., NY). We expect the bill to come up for a House vote the week of 10 September 1984.

3. Independent National Archives

H.R. 3987, a bill to establish an independent National Archives and Record Service was passed by the House 2 August 1984. Prior to passage Representative. Jack Brooks (D., TX), presented a package of amendments including one which protects these records from unauthorized access and these amendments were adopted in the bill.

4. Computer Fraud

H.R. 5616 making Computer Fraud a Federal Crime passed the House on 24 August 1984. We have given the staff of the Judiciary Committee of the Senate language which will protect intelligence equities in this bill. House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence (HPSCI) and Senate Select Committee on Intelligence (SSCI) Staff are fully informed. We are also explaining our position to staff of the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Crime who voted out the bill without knowing of our concern.

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Congressional briefings this past week.

- Senator Patrick J. Leahy (D., VT), on Sevoromorsk explosion.
By SOVA analysts.
- Senator Malcolm Wallop (R., WY), on Soviet deception. By
Gershwin and 25X1
- Senator John Glenn (D., OH), on Pakistani nuclear program.
By Low and DI officers.
- Senator Dennis DeConcini (D., AZ), on Cuban narcotics
connection.
- Representative Douglas K. Bereuter (R., NE) on Papal
Assassination attempt. By DI analysts.

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